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E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS ML

SUBJECT: PREPARATION OF CONGRESSIONAL PRESENTATION DOCUMENT  
FOR FY 1979 SECURITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

REF: STATE 306475

1. WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR SECURING AMBASSADOR BYRNE'S VIEWS  
REGARDING POSSIBLE ELEMENTS OF IMET PROGRAM FOR MALI. WE  
BELIEVE THAT IN ORDER TO BE RESPONSIVE TO MALIAN NEEDS FOR  
MODEST TRAINING PROGRAMS AND TO GAIN ACCESS TO MALIAN MILI-  
TARY, IMET TRAINING SHOULD INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

A. INSTRUCTOR/DIRECTOR OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASSES AT  
INTER-ARMS SCHOOL, KATI;

B. TRAINING FOR ONE "OFFICIER MATERIEL" WHICH WE TAKE TO BE  
THE VEHICLE ELEMENT OF U.S. ARMY ORDNANCE BUT MIGHT INCLUDE  
QUARTERMASTER FUNCTIONS;

C. TRAINING FOR TWO OR MORE PILOTS, DEPENDING ON FUNDING  
AVAILABLE.

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2. INFORMATION AVAILABLE THIS EMBASSY CITES \$40,000 AS COST OF  
ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTRUCTOR. WE HAVE NO DATA FOR COSTING  
LOGISTICS OR PILOT TRAINING BUT BELIEVE REMAINDER OF FUNDS  
SHOULD BE USED FOR THIS PURPOSE.

3. PLEASE PROVIDE EMBASSY, DOD, AND UNIFIED COMMANDERS WITH  
COPIES OF DESCRIPTION IMET PROGRAM AS APPROVED BY AMBASSADOR

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